There were 20 deaths (6 in hospitals) for 5 days from Causes in Kolar Gold Field Area equivalent to a calculat- death-rate of 8·4 (5·9 excluding hospital deaths) per mille population (annual basis) as against 14·1 for the corres- nding week of last year. Classified according to causes the aths numbered 1 under Dysentery and Diarrhœa and 19 der All Other Causes. The reported mortality was very ry low.

01 E. R. SUNDARARAJAN, For *Director*.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF POLICE, CIVIL STATION, BANGALORE.

Dated 28th February 1949.

Lighting up Time for March 1949.

No. 389—G. 49. The following times of Sunrise and Sunset e published for general information.

Lamps on vehicles must be lit during the period between lf an hour after Sunset and half an hour before Sunrise.

				Sunrise H.	Sunrise M.	Sunset H.	Sunset M.
1st	March	1949	...	6	36	18	28
2nd	do	do	...	6	35	18	29
3rd	do	do	...	6	35	18	29
4th	do	do	...	6	34	18	29
5th	do	do	...	6	34	18	29
6th	do	do	...	6	33	18	29
7th	do	do	...	6	33	18	29
8th	do	do	...	6	32	18	29
9th	do	do	...	6	31	18	30
10th	do	do	...	6	30	18	30
11th	do	do	...	6	30	18	30
12th	do	do	...	6	29	18	30
13th	do	do	...	6	29	18	30
14th	do	do	...	6	28	18	30
15th	do	do	...	6	27	18	30
16th	do	do	...	6	27	18	30
17th	do	do	...	6	26	18	30
18th	do	do	...	6	26	18	30
19th	do	do	...	6	25	18	31
20th	do	do	...	6	24	18	31
21st	do	do	...	6	23	18	31
22nd	do	do	...	6	22	18	31
23rd	do	do	...	6	22	18	31
24th	do	do	...	6	21	18	31
25th	do	do	...	6	21	18	31
26th	do	do	...	6	20	18	31
27th	do	do	...	6	19	18	31
28th	do	do	...	6	19	18	31
29th	do	do	...	6	18	18	31
30th	do	do	...	6	18	18	31
31st	do	do	...	6	17	18	31

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METEOROLOGICAL DEPARTMENT.

MONTHLY MEANS OF 8 A.M. METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS FOR DECEMBER 1948.

	Bangalore	Mysore	Hassan
Height of Observatory above mean sea level	3,021 ft.	2,518 ft.	3,149 ft.
Pressure in millibars red. to 32° F and to the standard Gravity	912.4	928·5	908.2
Departure from normal	—0·3	—0.5	—0·4
Temperature in shade :—			
Dry Bulb	62·9	64.8	63·1
Departure from normal	—0.9	—2.1	—2.0
Max.	77.7	80.5	78.5
Departure from normal	—1.0	—0.4	—0.9
Min.	59·2	61.5	57.6
Departure from normal	+1·2	+0.3	+1.0
Wet Bulb	59.7	61.4	52.8
Departure from normal	—0.9	—1.0	—1.1
Temperature in open space :—			
Max. in the Sun	126.1	--	--
Min. on Grass	56.8	--	--
Relative Humidity	83	82	82
Departure from normal	..	+5	—5
Rainfall (Total)	0.20	0.03	0.81
Departure from normal	—0.24	—0.34	+0·16
Wind Direction	N 72° E	N 56° E	E
Velocity (miles per hour)	7	9	4
Departure from normal	—1	--	—1
Cloud in cents	56	50	51
Departure from normal	+13	+8	+12
Daily Hours of Bright Sunshine	7.1	..	--
Departure from normal	—0.4	..	--

	Chitaldrug	Balehonnur	Nandi Hill
Height of Observatory above mean sea level	2,405 ft.	2,917 ft.	4,851 ft.
Pressure in millibar (red. to 32° F. and to the Standard Gravity)	932.7	..	--
Departure from normal	—0.1	--	--
Temperature in shade :—			
Dry Bulb	65.2	63.3	58.3
Departure from normal	—2.6	—1.5	--
Max.	79.7	77.7	67.3
Departure from normal	—1.7	—1.4	--
Min.	59.8	57.6	51.4
Departure from normal	—1.5	—1.6	--
Wet Bulb	61.1	60.3	4.3
Departure from normal	—0·7	—0.5	--
Temperature in open space :—			
Max. in the Sun	--	--	--
Min. on Grass	--	--	--
Relative Humidity	80	84	74
Departure from normal	+9	+5	--
Rainfall (Total)	0.00	0.08	0.79
Departure from normal	—0.52	—0.41	+0·58
Wind Direction	S 77° E	--	..
Velocity (miles per hour)	5	--	--
Departure from normal	—2	--	--
Cloud in cents	44	..	--
Departure from normal	—8	--	--
Daily Hours of Bright Sunshine.	..	--	--
Departure from normal	--	--	--

BANGALORE, Dated 2nd February 1949. T. V. RAMACHANDRA AIYAR, *Meteorologist*.

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